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## SOUTH CAROLINA.

**Wassermann Blood Test—Free by State Board of Health. (Act 551, Apr. 6, 1916.)**

SECTION 1. *Test to be free.*—That the State board of health is required to make all Wassermann blood tests without charge as in case of other blood tests now provided for by law.

**State Board of Health—Appropriations for 1916. (Act 561, Feb. 19, 1916.)**

SECTION 1. That the following sums of money, if so much be necessary, be, and the same are hereby, appropriated out of the State treasury to meet the ordinary expenses of the State government for the several objects and purposes specified during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1916, and a tax of 6½ mills upon all taxable property in the State is hereby levied to defray the same, and such other indebtedness as may be created by the present general assembly.

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SEC. 18. <i>Health department</i> —	
Item 1. Salary of State health officer-----	\$3,000.00
Item 2. Salary of clerk-----	720.00
Item 3. Salary of janitor-----	450.25
Item 4. Director of State laboratory-----	2,500.00
Item 5. Bacteriologist for laboratory-----	1,500.00
Item 6. Contingent fund for contagious diseases-----	20,000.00
Item 7. Expenses, State board of health-----	2,000.00
Item 8. Printing, postage, and stationery-----	1,000.00
Item 9. Maintenance, tuberculosis camp-----	7,040.00
Item 10. Tuberculosis camp (three free beds for men)-----	1,000.00
Item 11. Maintenance of bureau of vital statistics-----	5,000.00
Item 12. Traveling expenses of State health officer-----	1,000.00
Item 13. Two units for intensive county health work-----	3,600.00
Item 14. Female ward for tuberculosis camp-----	5,000.00
Item 15. Tuberculosis camp (three free beds for women)-----	1,000.00
Item 16. Deficit for diphtheria antitoxin-----	759.00
Total-----	55,575.25
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## VIRGINIA.

**Rabies—Care, Treatment, and Transportation of Persons Bitten by Suspected Animals—Counties Authorized to Make Appropriations. (Ch. 384, Act Mar. 20, 1916.)**

1. That the board of supervisors of any county may appropriate out of the county funds a sum sufficient for the care, treatment, and transportation of any person of such county who has been bitten by an animal suspected of having rabies or hydrophobia, if such person is not able to pay such expense. Any such person injured as aforesaid may be sent to any hospital or sanatorium either within or without this State, at the discretion of the board of supervisors to remain such time as said board may determine.

**Common Towels—Prohibited in Public Places. (Ch. 278, Act Mar. 17, 1916.)**

1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to place, furnish, or keep in place in any hotel, office building, railway train, railway station, public or private school, public lavatory or washroom any towel for the